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Review of Soviet Portion of Proposed Sample of Motors and Generators  
for [REDACTED] Machinery Ratio-Dollar Ratio Study 25X1A5a1

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1. The proposed [REDACTED] sample seems sufficiently large to represent the universe of Soviet electric motors. No important items appear to be missing from the sample. 25X1A5a1
2. Specifications given in the [REDACTED] tables appear adequate for identification of comparable US models. Only one suggestion is offered here: US practice identifies electric motors by horsepower rather than kilowatts; to facilitate the task of the US manufacturer, the kilowatt-rating ought to be converted to horsepower, using the conversion factor one kilowatt equals 1.341 horsepower. 25X1A5a1
3. At this time no US models are known to be directly comparable with Soviet models.

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